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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 121

Applicant hereby elects claims 13-22, drawn to a reflecting wave guide.

Applicant respectfully traverses the requirement as the method involves using a sound emission source as claimed, the product claims including at least one reflective surface. As such, it is believed that the process is not for use with a materially different product but instead requires particulars of the product as claimed in the product claims.

Applicant respectfully requests consideration of all method claims and additionally requests examination of all claims in view of the close relationship between the method and product. Further, as a single search can be performed to consider all aspects of the invention and in view of the close relationship between the method and the product, consideration of all

claims is believed to be proper.

Favorable action on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted
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IS HEREBY REQUESTED TO CHARGE SUCH FEE TO OUR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 13-
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